

REMARKS

Claims 1-11 are in the application, of which claims 1, 5, 6 and 10 are the independent claims, with claims 5 and 10 having been amended herein. No new claims have been added. Reconsideration and further examination are respectfully requested.

No new matter is believed to have been introduced to the application by this amendment. The changes to the claims are fully supported by the original disclosure, including, for example, original paragraphs [0036], and original claims 5 and 10.

Claim Rejections – 35 USC § 112

Claims 5 and 10 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim the subject matter which applicant regards as the invention.

With this paper, claims 5 and 10 have been amended to be placed into independent form and are now believed to overcome the rejection. No new matter is believed to have been introduced to the application by this amendment. The changes to the claims are fully supported by the original disclosure, including, for example, original paragraphs [0036], and original claims 5 and 10.

Allowable Subject Matter

Applicant would like to thank the Examiner for allowance of Claims 1-4, 6-9 and 11.

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, the entire application is believed to be in condition for allowance and such action is respectfully requested at the Examiner's earliest

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convenience. Applicant's undersigned attorney may be contacted at the address and telephone number set forth below.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 502203 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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